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### Request

**Request ID** 784321 **Confirmation ID** 783761

### **Request description**

Dear FOIA Officer, Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, and the implementing FOIA regulations of the agency, I respectfully request the following from 2021 to present: All emails to/from/bcc Daniel Blackman mentioning, "on the background", "off the record", "off-the-record", "on background", "deep background", "compliance", "confidential", "complaint", "investigation", "classified", "LIMDIS", "not for attribution", "nonattribution", "not attributed", "source", "anonymity", "anonymous", "sensitive", "counsel", "embargo", "embargoed", "policy draft", "talking points", "preread", "briefing sheet", "sitrep", "memorandum draft", or "memorandum". All calendar entries and internal Microsoft Teams or Lync messages from {[Appointee] Name}} mentioning "on the background", "off the record", "off-the-record", "on background", "deep background", "compliance", "confidential", "complaint", "investigation", "classified", "LIMDIS", "not for attribution", "non-attribution", "not attributed", "source", "anonymity", "anonymous", "sensitive", "counsel", "embargo", "embargoed", "policy draft", "talking points", "pre-read", "briefing sheet", "sitrep", "memorandum draft", "memorandum", "Republian", "Democrat" or "nominee". To further narrow down the scope of the request, requester does not seek correspondence that merely forwards press clippings, such as news accounts or opinion pieces, newsletters, and published or docketed materials, if that correspondence has no comment or no substantive comment added by any party in the thread. The terms "pertaining to," "referring," "relating," or "concerning" with respect to any given subject means anything that constitutes, contains, embodies, reflects, identifies, states, refers to, deals with, or is in any manner whatsoever pertinent to that subject. The term "record" means any written, recorded, or graphic matter of any nature whatsoever, regardless of how recorded, and whether original or copy, including, but not limited to, the following: memoranda, reports, expense reports, books, manuals, instructions, financial reports, working papers, records, notes, letters, notices, confirmations, telegrams, receipts, appraisals, pamphlets, magazines, newspapers, prospectuses, inter-office and intra-office communications, electronic mail (emails), MMS or SMS text messages, instant messages, messaging systems (such as iMessage, Microsoft Teams, WhatsApp, Telegram, Signal, Google Chat, Twitter direct messages, Lync, Slack, and Facebook Messenger), contracts, cables, telexes, notations of any type of conversation, telephone call, voicemail, meeting or other communication. Please comply fully

# **Supporting documentation**

#### **Fees**

Request category ID

Fee waiver

Explanation

Willing to pay

**Expedited processing** 

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media

yes

As an independent investigative reporter, I do not have a commercial purpose and the release of the information requested is sought to contribute to the public understanding of the operations and activities of the government through original articles and publications.. The requested information is in the public interest because there trust in government is at historic lows, and the American people deserve transparency. Because this is a request by a member of the news media for information of public interest, made in my capacity as an author for multiple outlets and publications. I actively gather information of potential interest to multiple audiences, and I use my editorial skills to turn raw materials into a distinct work, and I distribute that work to our audience articles. I request that you waive all applicable fees associated with this request. If you deny this request for a fee waiver, please advise me in advance of the estimated charges if they are to exceed. Please send me a detailed and itemized explanation of those charges.

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